

By: Peter Sass - Head of Democratic Services and Local Leadership
To: Standards Committee – 18 March 2010
Subject: Standards Committee Work Programme and future meeting dates

Summary: To consider the Committee's forward work programme.

Unrestricted

Background

1. At the Committee's meeting on 25 November, 2008, it was agreed that the Head of Democratic Services and Local Leadership would formulate a work programme for the Committee's consideration and also, in consultation with the Chairman, agree a series of future meeting dates, so that all Members can ensure they are available to attend Committee meetings.

2. Accordingly, attached at **Appendix 1** is a suggested work programme based on relevant aspects of the Committee's work in previous years, together with the conclusions reached at a previous meeting about the Committee's future role.

Recommendation:

3. The Committee is invited to consider and agree the Committee's future work programme and proposed meeting dates (Appendix 1)

Peter Sass – Head of Democratic Services and Local Leadership
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Appendix 1

Standards Committee Work Programme - 2009

Meeting	Item	Source (*Standard item unless stated)
18 March 2010	The role and remit of the Committee	Request from previous meeting
	Work Programme and future meeting dates	
	Register of Interests	
	Complaints Monitoring	
12 May 2010	Members' Annual Reports	
	Monitoring of Complaints	
	Annual Return to the Standards Board	
	Committee's Annual report	
	Work Programme and future meeting dates	
15 July 2010	Annual meeting with Group Leaders	
	Work Programme and future meeting dates	
18 November 2010	Monitoring of Complaints	
	Review of Register of Interests, Gifts and Hospitality	
	Work Programme and future meeting dates	